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Sir:

Applicant would like to draw to the Examiner's attention the following co-pending applications assigned to the same assignee as the present application. These applications may contain subject matter in common and it may be more efficient for the same Examiner to examine all of these applications at once, rather than in a piecemeal fashion. Applicant has made every effort to cross-cite all references cited in each application in all of the corresponding applications.

<u>RANN-0004</u>

Method and Apparatus for Correlating Flight Identification Data With Secondary Surveillance Radar Data (Smith et al.) Ser. No. 09/466,127 filed December 21, 1999. Response to Restriction Requirement filed September 17, 2001. Divisional Filed September 17, 2001 (See RANN-0008). Awaiting First Action on Merits (FAOM)

RANN-0005

METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR IMPROVING THE UTILITY OF AUTOMATIC DEPENDENT SURVEILLANCE (Smith et al.). Provisional Application filed March 5, 1999. Formal Application Filed February 29, 2000. Ser. No. 09/516,215. Awaiting First Action on Merits (FAOM).

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METHOD FOR PROVIDING AIRCRAFT-BASED RUNWAY INCURSION ALERTS (Rick CASSELL et al.). Provisional Application filed 12/12/2000. Formal Application Ser. No. 09/833,736 filed April 13, 2001. Awaiting FAOM.

RANN-0008

Method and Apparatus for Correlating Flight Identification Data With Secondary Surveillance Radar Data (Smith et al.) Ser. No. UNASSIGNED filed September 17, 2001. Divisional of RANN-0004. Awaiting First Action on Merits (FAOM)

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